

SHARED LOOT WITH STRANGER

AND THE TRANGER'S \$180 WENT INTO THE THIEF'S POCKET.

Innocent Italian Caught in a New Bunco Gam—Man Who'd Just Stolen \$5,000 Wanted Help in Carrying for It—\$2 in the Bogus Roll—swindler caught.

Giovanni Mannarino, fresh from the pastoral life of Clearfield, Pa., fell in with a lawless young man yesterday afternoon, and on the spur of the moment relapsed into brigandage. In the Tombs police court later he explained that he came to New York with something more than \$180 and spent several pleasant days in the Italian quarter. Yesterday afternoon when he was passing Washington and Desbrosses streets, a wild-eyed young Italian rushed up to him and said: "Help me, my friend, I have just stolen \$5,000 from my rich old uncle and I don't know where to hide it."

"What a lot of money," said Giovanni. The stranger opened his coat, revealing a roughly rolled package from which stuck a green-back.

"I have a lot of money," repeated Giovanni, with great emphasis.

"My old uncle is a miser," volunteered the stranger. "He was so stingy that I had to get even with him. But he will be after me and I must conceal the money somewhere."

Giovanni had no suggestion to make, but he was very willing to help. Luckily, the man seeking advice could furnish his own.

"Well, buy a box," he said. "Come along and help me."

In a nearby shop, they bought a small cash box. In this the stranger forced his package of stolen money, from the edge of which the bill could be plainly seen.

"We are now friends forever," said Giovanni. "We will see this thing through together and then make a trip through Italy like American millionaires."

Giovanni smiled with delight. "Have you any money?" asked the nephew suddenly.

Giovanni apologetically drew out his \$180 and on the stranger's advice wrapped this in a white handkerchief which he handed to his nephew, who apparently placed it in the box, which was then locked.

"Hold the money for me a moment," asked the man. Then he walked away, leaving Giovanni standing on the corner clasping the tin box.

Just at that moment Detective Frank Casassa turned the corner and recognized the nephew as Michael, a notorious Italian confidence man, whose portrait is in the Rogues' Gallery.

The policeman drew his revolver and started in pursuit, overtaking Leno and forcing him to surrender. A companion of the bunco man, who was hovering near, took to flight, on seeing the top officers had taken. He was chased into Greenwich street by a policeman on the beat. There he disappeared. But when Casassa returned to Giovanni he saw that the fugitive had returned to his starting point. Rushing up to Giovanni, the confidence man's friend shouted:

"Run, run, the police are after you. Fly while you have the chance."

Then he took to his heels again. Before Giovanni could follow, the detective stopped him. After the victim had told his story the detective opened the treasure box. The \$5,000 roll of bills proved to be an empty success package wrapped in an old newspaper in which a two-dollar bill had been thrust. Giovanni's \$180 had been extracted and the handkerchief contained only some small bits of paper. The money was found in Leno's pocket.

In the Tombs police court later, in the day Leno was held under \$1,000 bonds.

BROOKLYN COPS NO PERFECT.
Twenty-one caught No-telling Their Duty on Monday Night.

Brooklyn's cops received a visit on Monday night so unexpectedly that many were caught napping and Deputy Commissioner Elstein, who planned the surprise, said he was disgusted with the lack of discipline where he thought the strictest enforcement of police rules was being made.

Sergeant Russell of Deputy Commissioner Piper's office, sent six plainclothes roundsmen to Brooklyn on Monday night to round up the patrolmen on post in half a dozen precincts. These men were told where the post lines were and were told to look for evidence of neglect of duty.

"You will have a hard job finding loiterers in Brooklyn," laughed Major J. J. Stein, as he saw the men depart. "I believe the sergeants and roundsmen in my borough to be conscientious."

The plainclothes men found several patrolmen off post in Capt. Bell's district, the Adams street station. One man was caught in a saloon twice within half an hour.

Twenty-one men in six precincts visited by the "fly" cops were reported to Commissioner Elstein. They will be brought up on charges on Tuesday.

THINK THEY HAVE DR. AMES.
He's Wanted on Two Charges of Homelife Due to Illegal Operations.

A man whom the police believe to be Dr. Francis Ames of 14 West Twenty-third street, was arraigned in the Jefferson Market police court yesterday and held in \$2,000 bonds for examination. The prisoner refused to give his name in court.

Dr. Ames was named on two charges of homelife, both arising from the deaths of young women upon whom criminal operations had been performed. Anthony Comstock of the New York Society for the Prevention of Vice, advised Ames and under the name of Dr. Amesworth F. Christian, was arrested on Sept. 14, 1899, for performing a criminal operation on Annie Klingbiel, but escaped conviction. J. Clementine Harvey, who is said by Mr. Comstock to be Christian's wife, was arrested last June, and was sentenced to ten months imprisonment for selling drugs for unlawful use.

At Comstock's office it was said last night, that the doctor would be prosecuted on two charges of homelife, and that the Federal authorities also wanted him for using the mails to advertise his business.

SWINDLER COLLECTED \$12.
Said e Represented a Grocery Firm to Which Money Was Due.

MINOIA, L. L., Dec. 3.—Andrew Horther, a baker, yesterday paid \$12 to a stranger, who said he represented a New York grocery house. Mr. Horther is a regular customer of the firm. He gave the stranger an order and paid a balance due on the caller's statement that he was authorized to collect for the firm.

Mrs. Horther, who distrusted the stranger, called up the firm on the telephone and learned that the man was not authorized to collect for the firm.

Requette Lake Railroad: Wants to Cease Operation From Jan. 1 to May 1.

UTICA, Dec. 3.—An application was made to the State Board of Railroad Commissioners, in session here today, by the Requette Lake Railroad Company, to allow this company to cease operations on its railroad from Jan. 1 to May 1. In the petition the railroad company says that the railroad was originally constructed to handle the summer travel and that from Jan. 1 to May 1 it is operated at a loss, because of the lack of business and on account of the expense which is attached to its operation in keeping the track clear from snow. The commission took the matter under advisement.



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THE RAIDING OF MRS. LEDERER

HACKMAN TELLS WHAT HAPPENED WHEN SLUTH BROKE IN

swears a Woman Exclaimed: "Is That You, Will, My Darling?"—Mrs. Lederer Says She Didn't Say It—The Making of a Deputy Sheriff in the Dark of the Moon.

There was another hearing before Justice William Jay in the courtroom at Woodmere yesterday in the case of Arthur Wilson, the private detective who early on the morning of Oct. 23 is alleged to have broken into the Kresno cottage at Baldwin and entered the bedroom occupied by Mrs. Adele Lederer, wife of George Lederer, the theatrical manager. Both Mr. and Mrs. Lederer were present.

The only witness heard was Theodore Gros, the village hackman. He swore that he had been hired by Wilson to drive him from the Baldwin station to the Kresno cottage. On reaching the cottage, Wilson told him to hold up his right hand, as he was going to be sworn in as a special officer. Gros did as he was told and repeated an oath to support the Constitution of the United States and of the State of New York. He then supposed he was a fully authorized officer of the law.

Gros then told of following Wilson into the house and up to the second floor. When Wilson entered a room, Gros testified, a woman screamed and then said: "Is that you, Will, my darling?"

Gros was very positive of this. This testimony was intended to be taken in connection with the presence in the house of William Morgan, a business associate of Mr. Kresno's. The case was adjourned for one week.

Mrs. Lederer said afterward that for a year or more her husband had been persecuting her. She declared that the visit of Wilson was simply an effort to fake up a false case against her, so her husband could get divorce. She regarded the testimony of Gros as preposterous.

"Just recall," she said, "that this man testified that I at first screamed out and I did. Mr. and Mrs. Kresno were asleep on that same floor, and their door always was unlocked and ordinarily stood slightly open, so they might hear any noise in the house. I had been there with my child for a long time, and on the face of it does it not seem impossible I should use such words? I am going to win in this matter in the end, and the sooner Mr. Lederer recognizes this fact, the better."

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An Irish setter owned by Frederick Brady of 304 Lafayette street, Newark, went mad yesterday morning in Elm street and bit four persons before Policeman Kellett killed it.

The dog was chased by a crowd and pelted with stones. In its frenzied flight it was snapping blindly at trees, posts and fences.

The dog was in the habit of following a wagon driven by David Stillwell. When he was about to start out yesterday morning it bit his son on the leg. He took the boy to a drug store, where the wound was cauterized.

The dog followed the wagon after being pelted by Stillwell until Elm street was reached, when it was seized by a second frenzy and chased a woman into a house, biting at the doorman.

On Elm street the dog bit William Wilson and Christopher Donovan. A crowd collected and the police were called by telephone. John Somerville was the next victim. He heard the shouts of "mad dog" and turned just as the setter slashed his left leg and ran on. A moment later it bit a horse in Hamburg place and dashed through Kosuth street.

Several dogs ran out to tackle the setter and it is believed that some of them were bitten. At Park and Ferry streets it picked up a little terrier and tossed it in the air, breaking its back. Here Kellett met the mad dog and knocked it over with a well-directed blow of his baton. Then he shot it.

The three men and the Stillwell boy will go for treatment to the Pastur In-hospital in this city. The dead dog will be examined for symptoms of rabies under the supervision of the Board of Health physicians.

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Men's and Women's Lockets, Roman and antique finish, round, oval or heart-shaped; set with single stone or fancy designs, two hundred styles. \$9.89 to \$88.67

Brooch, fiery opal weighing 7.32 carats, surrounded by twenty-two fine white diamonds, weighing 2.13 carats; would cost you \$250.00 elsewhere; our price, \$194.21

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